

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A disc carrier for an optical disc drive includes a recession integrally formed thereon and an axial tube projecting from a central portion of a bottom wall of the recession. A shaft extends through the axial tube. An engaging  
5 length between the axial tube and the shaft is increased to improve rotating stability of the disc carrier. A support member is fixed in the recession and includes a peripheral support edge along a periphery thereof. The support member is in contact with and thus supports plural clamping members of a clamping device.